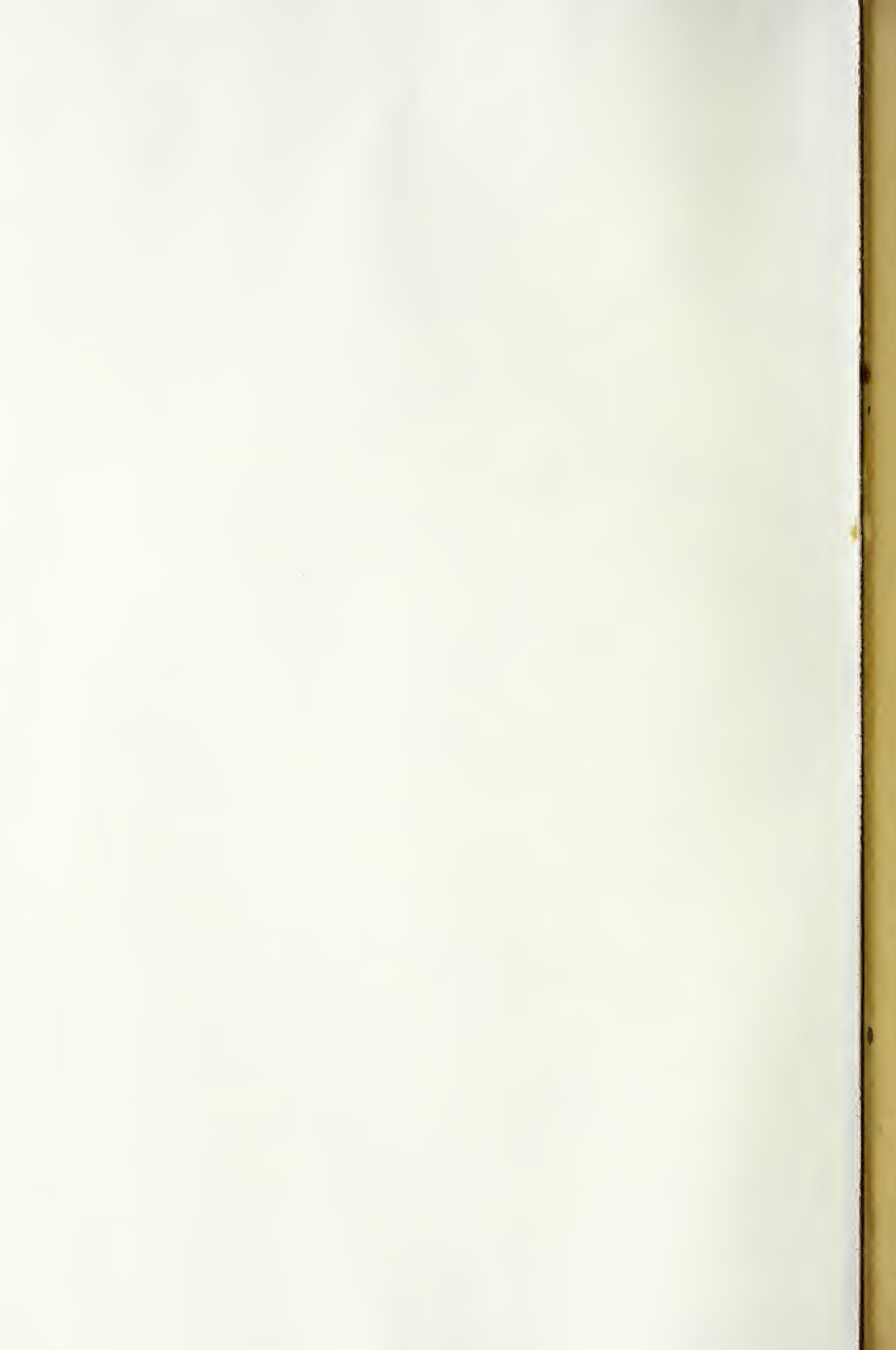




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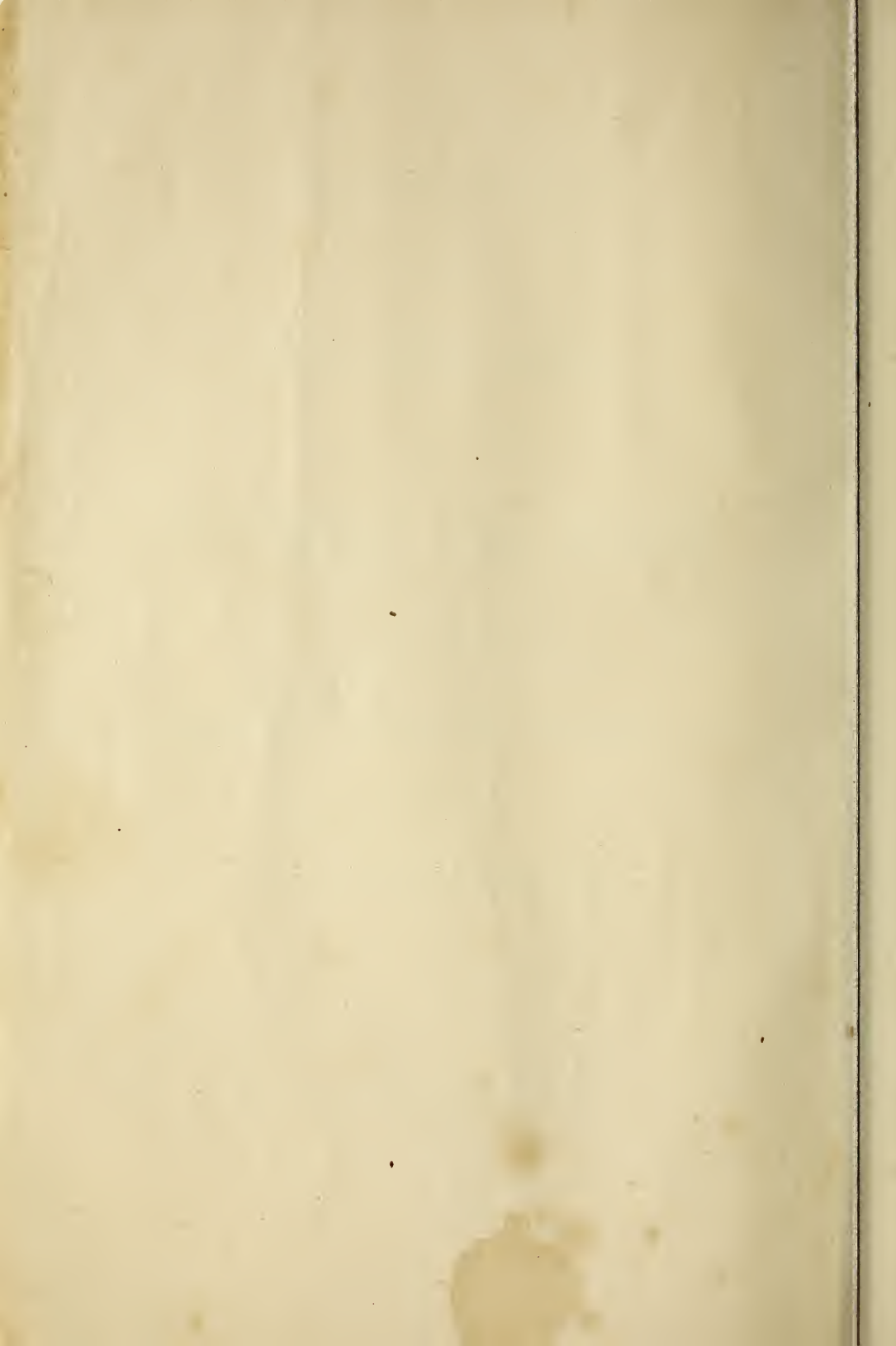
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ANNUAL REPORT.

A. P. ROWE, TREAS. IN ACCT. WITH TOWN OF CAMPTON, DR
RECEIPTS.

1889.

Mar.	1,	Cash on hand,	\$ 935 55
		Rec'd Nellie M. Avery, gave note,	33 33
		Cynthia B. Avery, gave note,	23 00
		Ruth M. Avery, gave note,	30 00
		Everett K. Avery, gave note,	30 00
		Harriet A. Merrill, gave note,	82 85
	12,	Lyman Lucas, lease money,	3 00
		Mrs. J. W. Rogers, lease money,	3 00
		John M. Blaisdell, "	6 00
		C. W. Pulsifer,	5 00
	18,	E. H. Keniston, Coll.	1765 00
		C. W. Johnson, Jr., gave note,	275 00
April	1,	E. H. Keniston, Coll.,	400 00
	16,	E. H. Keniston, Coll.,	300 00
	27,	E. H. Keniston, Coll.,	180 00
May	18,	C. W. Johnson, Jr., overseer,	375 00
June	1,	Enoch Gilman, endorsement on note,	100 00
	6,	E. H. Keniston, collector,	250 00
	22,	Moses C. Spokesfield, gave note,	1200 10
	,	Jane Spokesfield, gave note,	120 18
	26,	Moses W. Merrill, gave note,	101 00

June	27,	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	147 00
	27,	Ada M. Bump, gave note,	51 14
July	1,	Laura A. Stickney, gave note,	60 80
	2,	G. E. Pulsifer, gave note,	230 27
		D. B. Pulsifer, gave note,	735 00
		Esther E. Hart, gave note,	319 25
	10,	Julia W. Robinson, gave note,	840 00
	29,	Solon A. Carter, bounty on bear,	10 00
Aug.	5,	John S. Hannaford, gave note,	100 00
		E. H. Keniston, collector,	166 00
	28,	G. E. Pulsifer, gave note,	100 00
	30,	J. W. Pulsifer, gave note,	150 00
		Julia W. Robinson, gave note,	200 00
Sept.	7,	Fibre Wood Co., school house,	75 75
	21,	Daniel Wyatt, gave note,	400 00
	26,	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	525 00
Oct.	1,	Maria A. Moulton, gave note,	25 00
		Lyman A. Lovitt, gave note,	85 00
	8,	E. H. Keniston, collector,	508 00
	2,	Hannah C. Southmayd, gave note,	242 44
	15,	John A. Durgin, gave note,	471 90
	16,	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	100 00
	28,	" "	275 00
Nov.	11,	Pemigewasset Bank, gave note,	1000 00
	13,	J. W. Pulsifer, gave note,	100 00
	18,	C. W. Johnson, Jr., overseer,	400 00
Dec.	2,	Daniel Goodhue, gave note,	150 00
	6,	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	280 00
	9,	Kate E. Ward, gave note,	20 00
		R. E. Sanborn, gave note,	150 00
	14,	Jane Spokesfield, gave note,	151 74
		T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	361 59
	18,	State Treasurer, railroad tax,	72 99
		" " savings bank tax,	589 21

Dec. 18,	State Treasurer, literary fund,	176 54
1890.		
Jan. 11,	Chris. Smith, gave note,	549 36
	G. O. Brown, gave note,	120 00
	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	350 00
20,	Mary A. Jones, gave note,	72 00
	Ira M. Pierce, gave note,	10 00
16,	Wm. H. Stickney, gave note,	54 56
24,	D. B. Pulsifer, gave note,	100 00
27,	Elizabeth P. Taylor, gave note,	278 68
30,	A. P. Rowe, gave note,	700 00
Feb. 4,	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	300 00
6,	C. W. Pulsifer, old plank,	50
8,	E. H. Keniston, collector,	174 18
	John M. Blaisdell, gave note,	278 73
	Julia A. Blaisdell, gave note,	268 86
	A. H. Cook, lease money, '88-89,	8 50
	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	200 00
12,	E. H. Keniston, collector,	52 12
15,	Barker L. Hill, gave note,	2500 00
	D. C. Hill, gave note,	700 00
18,	Town of Plymouth three-eighths of repairs on Livermore bridge,	62 79
22,	T. S. Pulsifer, collector.	850 00
	J. C. Blair, old hearse,	16 00
	“ license bowling alley, '88	4 50
	E. H. Sanborn, license bowling alley and pool table, '88,	9 00
	E. H. Keniston, collector,	105 00
	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	200 00
24,	Holderness one-eight repair on Liv- ermore bridge,	20 93
28,	E. H. Keniston, collector,	79 34
	T. S. Pulsifer, collector,	690 44
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EXPENDITURES.

NOTES AND INTEREST.

1889.

Mar.	1,	Paid Everett K. Avery, note in full,	\$ 26 25
		Ruth M. Avery, note in full,	26 25
		Nellie M. Avery, note in full,	28 33
		Cynthia B. Avery, note in full,	17 00
		Harriet A. Merrill, note in full	82 85
	20,	Austin G. Simpson, note in full,	267 22
April	6,	B. O. Dearborn, end. on note,	20 00
		J. Frank Smith, end. on note,	55 00
	15,	B. O. Dearborn, note in full,	30 56
	25,	E. H. Sanborn, note in full,	1017 23
		David P. Foss, note in full,	202 92
May	31,	Phebe Stickney, note in full,	575 20
		Warren Straw, note in full,	92 89
June	11,	C. M. Avery, end. on note,	55 00
	20,	Sally Luce, end. on note,	6 50
	22,	J. C. Spokesfield, note in full,	1200 10
		Jane Spokesfield, note in full,	120 18
	27,	Ada M. Bump, note in full,	51 14
July	1,	Laura A. Stickney, note in full,	60 80
	2,	G. E. Pulsifer, note in full,	230 27
		D. B. Pulsifer, note in full,	735 00
		Esther E. Hart, note in full,	319 25
	10,	Julia W. Robinson, note in full,	840 00
		Lydia B. Johnson, end. on note,	30 00
		Mary B. Lougee, note in full,	104 18
Aug.	22,	Chacy P. Sanborn, end on note,	30 00
	31,	Pemigewasset Bank H. M. note in full,	597 16
Oct.	1,	Agnes Watson, note in full	48 40
	2,	H. C. Southmayd, note in full,	242 44

Oct. 15,	John A. Durgin, note in full,	238 79
	John A. Durgin, note in full,	233 11
31,	Wm. H. Stickney, end. on note,	50 00
Nov. 14,	Penigewasset Bank, end. on note,	200 00
19,	Pemigewasset Bank, end on note,	200 00
Dec. 2,	Ella M. Steel, note in full,	52 00
	Esther E. Hart, end on note,	50 00
6,	Daniel Wyatt, end. on note,	125 00
9,	Relief R. Sanborn, note in full,	105 36
15,	R. E. Smythe, note in full,	603 47
	Jane Spokesfield, note in full,	121 74
	Moses C. Spokesfield, end. on note,	70 00
1890.		
Jan. 3,	Nancy E. Morrill, end on note,	50 00
11,	Christopher Smith, note in full,	549 36
	Moses C. Spokesfield, end. on note,	30 00
16,	Wm. H. Stickney, note in full,	54 56
27,	Daniel Wyatt, note in full,	278 68
Feb. 3,	Moses W. Merrill, note in full,	630 00
8,	John M. Blaisdell, note in full,	178 73
	Julia A. Blaisdell, note in full,	160 86
12,	Esther E. Hart, end. on note,	100 00
15,	Barker L. Hill, note in full,	2374 20
	Barker L. Hill, note in full,	350 37
	D. C. Hill, note in full,	636 96
	D. C. Hill, note in full,	114 63
22,	George Dolloff, note in full,	26 20
	F. M. Maloon, note in full,	35 73
25,	Charles M. Avery, note in full,	48 40
28,	E. E. Coffin, note in full,	55 95
	E. E. Coffin, note fn full,	56 93
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		\$14,893 14

LABOR AND LUMBER FOR HIGHWAY AND NON-RESIDENT
HIGHWAY TAX.

1889.

April 11,	Paid Geo. H. Bump, drawing lumber,	6 00
	L. C. White, for lumber	22 11
May 15,	A. L. Davis, labor on bridge,	29 70
June 10,	D. Moulton & Son, for lumber,	78 76
17,	H Hodgman, repairing highway,	50 00
July 3,	Daniel Morrill, building and re- pairing bridge,	123 00
6,	James M. Wallace, rep. highway,	6 50
	C. H. Dow, non-resident tax,	1 75
	J. M. Wallace, non-resident tax,	8 39
	G.F.Homans, labor road machine,	41 47
	Chas. G. Avery, labor and board,	20 00
	Wm. Miclon, rep. highway,	3 00
	O. M. Page, road agent,	109 42
	N. L. Shaw, labor and lumber,	23 17
20,	A. H. Cook, for plank,	20 00
Nov. 2,	Daniel Kent, painting bridge,	45 00
8,	P. H. Crawford, for paint,	23 55

1890.

Jan. 11,	O. R. Rowe, labor on bridge,	5 00
	D. W. Ames, lumber labor and non- resident tax,	19 68
	Dustin Moulton & Son, lumber,	46 83
	Chas. J. Gould, railing Livermore bridge,	78 87
	J. M. Wallace, labor on highway,	16 25
Feb. 8,	W. R. Park, Jr., for lumber,	174 18
	R. H. Avery, labor and plank,	8 85
	A. H Cook, lumber,	9 50

Feb. 8,	J.F.Merrill, labor Livermore bridge	7 50
	D. B. Pulsifer, non-resident highway tax,	13 84
12,	A. J. Lovitt, labor on highway,	2 87
21	W. H. Dow, lumber,	4 40
22,	E. Mitchell, labor and money paid out,	52 29
	J. M. Wallace, for plank,	10 86
	O. M. Page, road agent,	19 70
	N. L. Shaw, labor on highway,	21 03
	E. H. Sanborn, lumber and stone,	10 00
28,	A.H.Cook,lumber,non-resident tax,	82 06
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		\$1195 53

MISCELLANEOUS.

1886.

Mar. 11,	Paid C. W. Johnson, Jr., overseer,	\$ 25 00
30,	Record Pub. Co., printing reports,	25 00
April 9,	C. C. Smith, abt. poll tax paid in Meredith,	2 20
11,	Geo. E. Smith, abt. poll tax 1887 and 1888,	3 71
26,	J. Keniston, drafting plan bridge pier,	20 00
May 8,	J. C. Blair, freight on hearse,	27 00
11,	C. W. Johnson, overseer,	200 00
15,	Geo. L. Brownell, for hearse,	400 00
25,	S. D. Kinsman, copper wire,	66
31,	J. C. Blair, decoration,	25 00
Jun. 11,	C. W. Johnson, Jr. overseer,	50 00
20,	C. W. Pulsifer, damage to plow,	5 00
July 6,	E. Merrill, highway tax paid coll.,	7 64
26,	J. Sawyer, damage to wagon,	2 00
Oct. 24,	A. B. Tasker, running town line,	4 50
Nov. 11,	C. W. Johnson, Jr., overseer,	400 00
11,	Selectmen, perambulating lines,	24 41

1890.

Jan. 11,	Nicholas Brown, abt. poll tax,	1 60
Feb. 8,	John S. Bump, abt. ox lost,	80
10,	Record Pub. Co., blank receipts,	1 25
22,	S. N. Stickney, abt. house burned,	8 00
	W. D. Muchmore, ret. births and deaths,	12 75
	C. W. Johnson, Jr., poster and certificates,	1 25
	C. W. Johnson, Jr., overseer,	275 00
	B. J. Philbrick, lighting bridge,	15 00

Feb. 22,	G. H. Little, boarding town officers,	28 00
	J. C. Blair, fixing, paint'g hearse runners	6 00
	Gardner Little rec. births mar-	
	riages and death,	9 11
	Gardner Little, care town house,	1 50
28,	Dr. T. Rogers, ret. births and deaths,	1 50
	Albert Hall, damage to carriage,	3 00
	E. H. Keniston, abts. 1886,	8 37
	E. H. Keniston, abts. 1887,	10 97
	E. H. Keniston, C. G. Avery, high-	
	way tax,	1 50
	T. S. Pulsifer, abts. 1889,	16 50
	Darias Moulton, land damage,	2 00
	Moulton & Watson, for spikes,	48
	T. S. Pulsifer, non-resident high-	
	way receipts,	11 35
	Selectmen, cash paid out,	24 53
	J. P. Rowe, abt. cow lost,	52
	S. N. Stickney, services as auditor,	1 50
	Benj. Sanborn, services as auditor,	1 50
	Chas. Cutter, perambulating line,	5 00
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		\$1671 10

WATERING TROUGHS.

1889.		
July 6,	Paid Hardy Merrill,	\$3 00
1890.		
Jan. 11,	F. M. Moulton,	2 00
Feb. 6,	C. W. Pulsifer,	1 50
22,	Geo. H. Little,	3 00
	A. B. Cook,	6 00
	Charles M. Avery,	3 00

Feb. 28,	Hardy Merrill,	3 00
	Washington Dearborn,	3 00
	Allen Willey,	3 00
	Mrs. J. W. Rogers,	1 50
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		\$29 00

SCHOOL BOARD.

1889.

June 11,	Paid C. W. Johnson, treas. note in full,	\$276 92
	school money in part,	321 00
Oct. 19,	" "	200 00
Nov. 19,	" "	200 00
Dec. 12,	" "	100 00
14,	" "	100 00

1890.

Jan. 7,	" "	150 00
11,	" "	50 00
Feb. 22,	" in full	301 95
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		\$1699 87

CALDON CASE.

1889.

Oct. 17,	Paid Burleigh & Adams, sum. witnesses,	50 00
Nov. 12,	Frank E. Caldon, damages,	1000 00
Dec. 12,	Burleigh & Adams expense,	50 00

1890.

Jan. 10,	D. B. Pulsifer, time and expense,	14 50
11,	J. F. Merrill, "	26 75
15,	Burleigh & Adams, services and cash	
	paid others,	116 86
Feb. 10,	Dr. Wm. Childs, services,	35 00
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		\$1293 11

STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

1889.		
Sept. 26,	Paid R. A. Horner, county tax,	\$767 60
Dec. 18,	Solon A. Carter, state tax,	860 00
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		\$1627 60

TOWN OFFICERS.

1889.		
April 23,	Paid W. Wallace services as selectman,	\$30 00
1890.		
Feb. 4,	I.L.Adams,bill as supervisor 1888;	9 00
22,	C. W. Johnson, Jr., overseer poor,	45 00
	C. W. Johnson, Jr., member and	
	treasurer school board,	30 00
	Gardner Little, town clerk,	25 00
24,	J. F. Merrill, service as selectman,	44 25
28,	Chas.Cutter, member school board,	25 00
	D.B.Pulsifer,services as selectman,	90 00
	A. P. Rowe, town treasurer,	40 00
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		\$338 25

ANIMALS KILLED BY DOGS.

1889.		
Mar. 11,	Paid G. O. Brown, 1 sheep,	\$ 3 60
	Mrs. Mary Truell, 3 sheep damage	
	to flock,	20 16
	H. L. Clark, 1 sheep,	3 60

Mar. 11, Paid I. S. Johnson, 4 sheep,	8 64
Moses Spokesfield, 1 sheep,	2 88
John W. Hussey, 4 sheep,	11 52
James S. Avery, 5 sheep,	15 84
E. H. Sanborn, 1 sheep,	2 88
J. A. Blaisdell, 2 sheep,	4 32
Smith N. Batchelder, 1 cow,	21 60
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	\$95 04

SUMMARY.

Notes and interest paid,	\$14893 14
Labor and lumber h'w'y, and non-resident tax,	1195 53
Miscellaneous,	1671 10
Watering troughs,	29 00
School board for schools,	1699 87
Caldon case,	1293 11
State and county taxes,	1627 60
Town officers,	338 25
Animals killed by dogs,	95 04
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	\$22842 64

STATEMENT.

To notes and interest outstanding against town,	25777 35
By notes and interest in favor of town, \$	355 53
Uncollected taxes, 1887,	39 90
“ 1888,	1177 08
“ 1889,	1441 42
Due from county,	250 72

By Cash in hands overseer,	83 04
" treasury,	1400 48
Balance of indebtedness,	21029 18
	-----\$25777 35
Net increase of debt.	\$2006 31

D. B. PULSIFER, } *Selectmen*
J. F. MERRILL, } *of*
 } *Campton.*

A. P. ROWE, *Treasurer.*

Having examined the foregoing accounts we find them
correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. N. STICKNEY, } *Auditors.*
BENJ. SANBORN, }

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

TOWN OF CAMPTON IN ACCT. WITH C. W. JOHNSON, JR.,
OVERSEER OF POOR.

		CR.
1889.		
Mar. 11,	By order on town treasurer,	\$ 25 00
May 11,	on town treasurer,	200 00
14,	on county treasurer,	328 86
	Received of Plymouth,	77 43
June 11,	on town treasurer,	50 00
Sept. 23,	Received of Plymouth,	138 05
Nov. 11,	on town treasurer,	400 00
12,	on county treasurer,	424 45
1890.		
Feb. 22,	on town treasurer,	275 00
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		\$1918 79

AID RENDERED DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR
FAMILIES.

		DR.
1889.		
May 13,	Paid Dr. A. D. Muchmore for C. E. Sanborn and wife,	\$14 00
	C. W. Cook, supplies for C. E. Sanborn and wife,	17 43
	M. B. Cone, supplies for C. E. Sanborn and wife,	4 00
	Moulton & Watson, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	1 05
	Elkins Willey, supplies for F. S. Avery,	7 50

May 13,	Paid Annie Caldon, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	20 00
	Dr W. R. Garland, for C. O'Boyle,	2 85
Sept. 23,	M. B. Cone, supplies for C. E. Sanborn,	38 00
	Dr. A. D. Muchmore, for Sanborn & Manson,	29 50
Nov. 12,	Moulton & Watson, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	4 10
	Lydia B. Johnson, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	46 00
	Dr. W. R. Garland, for C. O'Boyle,	1 00
	Dustin Moulton & Son, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	2 23
	A. Caldon, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	6 00
	D. B. Keniston, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	8 00
	M. B. Cone, supplies for C. E. Sanborn,	14 57
	Dr. A. D. Muchmore, for C. E. Sanborn,	8 00
	D. B. Keniston, supplies for F. S. Avery,	11 85
	Elkins Willey, supplies for F. S. Avery,	46 75
Dec. 16,	Dustin Moulton & Son, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	11 60
1890.		
Feb. 24,	Elkins Willey, supplies for F. S. Avery,	27 12
	Lydia B. Johnson, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	31 00
	Dr. A. D. Muchmore, for C. E. Sanborn,	32 50

Feb. 24,	M. B. Cone, supplies for C. E. Sanborn,	31 14
	Dustin Moulton & Son, supplies for C. O'Boyle,	2 08
	D. B. Keniston, supplies for F. S. Avery,	12 25
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		\$430 52

TOWN OF CAMPTON IN ACCOUNT WITH C. W. JOHNSON,
JR., OVERSEER OF POOR.

		DR
May 13,	J. G. Burbank, for Morrison family,	34 50
	A. D. Muchmore, "	7 50
	C. W. Cook, for C. C. Joselyn,	10 71
	Mary Hutchins, for Edson Hutchins,	10 00
	Davis Percival, for Naomi Percival,	9 65
	Dr. W. R. Garland, "	1 25
	J. C. Blair, sexton "	3 50
	E. F. Emerson, for coffin, robe, and box, for Naomi Percival,	11 50
	Moulton & Watson, for Benj. Coleman	18 74
	Jason Clark, for Almenia Palmer,	10 00
	Horace Sanborn, for Salome Hanscome,	20 00
	Mrs. S. J. Philbrick, for David Philbrick,	10 00
	J. C. Blair sexton, for Mrs. Parent,	3 50
May 18,	A. P. Rowe, town treasurer,	375 00
July 20,	J. G. Burbank, for Morrison family,	42 10
Sept. 23,	" " "	28 45
Oct. 2,	Town clerk of Plymouth — records,	50

Nov. 12,	A. D. Muchmore, for Benj. Colman,	4 50
	James McConn, “	10 00
	Moulton & Watson, “	14 20
	“ “	4 60
	Dr. H. Palmer, for Salome Hanscome,	21 25
	E. F. Emerson, coffin, robe, box for	
	Salome Hanscome,	13 00
	H. Sanborn, for Salome Hanscome,	49 50
	J. C. Blair, sexton “	3 00
	C. W. Cook, for C. C. Joslyn,	26 00
	Mary Hutchins, for Edson Hutchins,	26 00
	Mrs. S. J. Philbrick, for D. Philbrick,	26 00
	J. G. Burbank, for Morrison family,	17 75
	Isaac Adams, for Almira Palmer,	1 50
	Phebe Richardson, “	5 00
	E. F. Emerson, for coffin, robe and	
	box for Almira Palmer,	14 00
	H. K. Smith, for Almira Palmer,	3 25
	Jason Clark, “	25 00
	Dr. T. Rogers, “	10 50
	Orrin Rowe, transient,	6 50
	E. H. Sanborn, transient,	1 50
	Dr. Palmer, transient,	3 00
	Moulton & Watson, transient,	50
Nov. 18,	Town treasurer,	400 00
1890.		
Jan. 17,	Bills for Henry Baker,	13 75
Feb. 24,	Mrs. S. J. Philbrick, for D. Philbrick,	15 50
	Dr. Muchmore, for Morrison family,	8 75
	J. G. Burbank, “	34 25
	Mary Hutchins, for Edson Hutchins,	15 50
	C. W. Cook, for C. C. Joslyn,	15 69
	C. W. Johnson, Jr., cash paid out,	5 00

Feb. 28,	L. D. Glover, for Sarah Chase,	13 34
	Cash on hand,	83 04
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		\$1488 27
	Aid rendered dependent soldiers	
	and their families,	430 52
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		\$1918 79

C. W. JOHNSON, JR., *Overseer.*

Having examined the foregoing accounts we find them
correctly cast and properly vouched,

S. N. STICKNEY, }
BENJ. SANBORN, } *Auditors.*

Campton, March 1, 1890.

CEMETERY REPORT.

IN ACCOUNT WITH CAMPTON CEMETERY FOR THE YEAR
ENDING MARCH 1, 1890.

By cash from last year,	\$10 10	
To three days' work,	4 50	
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Cash on hand,		\$5 60

AMOUNT DUE ON LOTS SOLD.

Philip Keniston,	\$5 00
William Gilpatrick,	5 00
J. L. DeMott,	5 00
Henry Garland,	5 00
Geo. C. Jesseman,	5 00
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	\$25 00

GEORGE H. LITTLE, *Superintendent.*

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BENJ. SANBORN, } *Auditors.*

Campton, March 1, 1890.

SEXTON'S REPORT.

Number entombed and buried in Campton Cemetery,				27
Age less than 1 year,				2
From	1	to	5 years of age	0
	5	to	10	0
	10	to	15	0
	15	to	20	2
	20	to	25	2
	25	to	30	1
	30	to	35	1
	35	to	40	0
	40	to	45	1
	45	to	50	1
	50	to	55	0
	55	to	60	1
	60	to	65	0
	65	to	70	3
	70	to	75	4
	75	to	80	5
	80	to	85	2
	85	to	90	2
	90	to	95	1

J. C. BLAIR, *Sexton*.

Campton, March 1, 1890.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The schools in town the past year have been for the most part well taught and successful. A few have been partial failures, owing mainly to the want of good order. The responsibility for the latter, rests upon the pupils, the teachers and the parents; not the least share, perhaps upon the parents. We are obliged to employ female teachers mostly, and in the small schools, often those who are young and inexperienced. Where there are large scholars in a school disposed to be disorderly, such teachers find it difficult to maintain their authority. In all such cases, parents should co-operate with, and assist the teachers. Each parent should specially inquire respecting the conduct of their own children, and administer proper reproof and correction for any ill behavior.

Complaints of children against their teachers in general, should not be noticed. They often reach home, vexed at some reproof or chastisement, or some partiality they imagine shown to other scholars, and give a very one-sided account of the matter. In case of any wrong worth noticing, the teacher should be interviewed, and her statement charitably considered. Teachers should not be criticised in the presence of children. It tends to discredit them in their eyes, and to impair their usefulness. One sensible woman in town said that if she felt any dissatisfaction with a teacher, she never spoke of it before her children, or even allowed them to know of it. It is an example worth following.

It is not a good plan to take children from school on account of any fancied or real incompetence of the teacher. A person by good luck may pass an examination and obtain a certificate, who does not deserve it. Scholars may learn something even under such a one. A case is remembered, of a teacher of limited knowledge, who acquired a good reputation as a teacher, and met with good success. In arithmetic he would make the brightest scholars work out and explain the hard examples to the rest. In other studies he could tell whether correct answers were given by having the book before him. Nevertheless, the board do not intend, knowingly, to employ a teacher incapable of instructing the school. In case of dissatisfaction it is better to request some member of the Board to examine into the matter. It is not worth the while for a teacher to spend much time in working out long and puzzling problems for a few of the more advanced scholars, to the neglect of the general interests of the school. She should thoroughly explain principles and rules and leave the puzzle to test the ingenuity of the pupils, for which mainly they were inserted, unless she has plenty of time to devote to this purpose.

Neighborhood broils should be kept out of the schools if possible, so as not to set the children by the ears, or affect the teacher. Sometimes one part of a neighborhood will set themselves for or against a teacher, for no better reason than that another part with whom they are not on friendly terms take the opposite sides.

Schools have been kept during the year in eleven school houses, and one in a private house. Owing to the number and location of the school houses, some of the schools have been ridiculously small. In two instances there were only two pupils; in one case the only scholar was boarded out to go elsewhere. Other schools had four, six and eight. It seems preposterous to be at the expense of running a school

for only two or four scholars, but under the circumstances there seemed to be no alternative. This state of things should be remedied as soon as possible after the question of the continuance of the town system is decided. The number of school houses should be reduced to the lowest limit compatible, with the general interests of education in the town. The more school houses and schools, the more money will be required to build and keep in repair the former and to run the latter ; the shorter will be the terms of school. By reducing the number of school houses, some scholars would be obliged to travel a greater distance and might not be able to attend school at so early an age. But it may be remarked that a school year from the age of ten to fifteen, is worth to a pupil double that from five to ten, and any loss of schooling in the latter period will be more than made up by the greater length of schools to be enjoyed in the former.

Another matter to be considered in this connection is the town finances. For some years the town increased the amount of money for schools required by law, to a thousand dollars. During the flush of money in war times, this was still further increased to twelve hundred, the amount since raised. But with the increasing number of abandoned farms, the stripping of others of wood and lumber, the general depreciation of the rest, how long the town will feel able or willing to raise this in addition to the other high taxes, remain to be seen. With the present number of schools, any considerable diminuation of this amount would render them so short as to be comparatively worthless. Plymouth has reduced the number of her school houses to six. Owing to the peculiar natural conformation of this town, it is a difficult question as to the number and location most advisable here. It is a matter that should receive the thoughtful consideration of the people of the town. By an act of the legislature the School Committee are required to purchase, at

TREASURER'S REPORT.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CAMPTON IN ACCOUNT WITH C. W.
JOHNSON, JR., TREASURER.

1889.

Mar. 1,	By Balance from last year,	\$148 86
June 11,	Interest,	1 92
	Order on treasurer,	321 00
Oct. 19,	" "	200 00
Nov. 19,	" "	200 00
Dec. 12,	" "	100 00
14,	" "	100 00
1890.		
Jan. 7,	" "	150 00
11,	" "	50 00
Feb. 22,	" "	79 00
	Lease and literary money,	222 95
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		\$1573 73

CASH PAID OUT.

1889.

Mar. 14,	Paid H. E. Morse, teaching,	\$ 5 00
May 20,	H. M. Crowell, board,	2 00
June 14,	Jane Spokesfield, board,	13 60
	S. S. Mitchell, repairs and work,	7 00
	A. E. Horner, teaching and board,	48 00
	H. E. Morse, teaching,	32 00
20,	J. E. Moulton, teaching and board,	42 00
	Annie Bagley, cleaning house,	3 00
	W. R. Garland, board,	20 00
	Josie Lea, cleaning house,	4 00
	Fannie Spencer, teaching,	40 00

June	14,	Annie Caldon, cleaning house,	2 50
		Moulton & Watson, supplies,	1 35
	21,	S. A. Burleigh, teaching,	28 00
	24,	Mrs. Moses Holmes, board,	16 00
	25,	J. G. Caldon, teaching,	31 00
		G. E. Calley, teaching and board,	52 50
		E. E. Coffin, board,	20 00
	28,	Nettie L. Cone, teaching,	30 70
		H. K. Smith, board, cleaning house	22 00
		N. L. Shaw, wood, cleaning house,	4 50
July	5,	J. B. Hadley, board,	20 00
		Ella M. Ames, teaching, board,	32 00
		Mrs. F. Moulton, cleaning house,	1 00
	7,	Mrs. Johnson, “	2 00
	9,	F. A. Avery, “	1 50
	24,	C. L. Page, teaching,	40 00
Aug.	15,	E. M. Cotton, care of house in 1888,	85
Oct.	21,	R. H. Avery, repairs,	75
	24,	Fannie Spencer, teaching,	28 00
		C. W. Johnson, Jr., board,	14 00
Nov.	8,	Julia G. Caldon, teaching,	18 00
		Hattie Hanson, teaching,	27 45
		N. L. Shaw, board,	12 00
	11,	A. G. Simpson, board,	18 00
	15,	S. A. Burleigh, teaching,	50 00
	25,	John M. Ames, board,	19 80
		Ella M. Ames, teaching and board,	48 00
	27,	F. A. Avery, board and wood,	25 00
		Mary L. Mitchell, teaching,	30 00
	29,	C. L. Page, teaching and board,	60 00
		A. A. Russell, teaching and board,	51 10
Dec.	6,	Ada M. Bump, teaching and board,	48 00
		M. E. Avery, teaching,	30 00
	12,	Annie Mitchell, teaching,	31 00

Dec.	16,	G. E. Calley, teaching and board,	60 00
	18,	James M. Wallace, board,	24 00
		C. G. Avery, board and wood,	21 00
		N. L. Shaw, “	13 00
		Fannie Spencer, teaching,	27 20
	24,	Julia G. Avery, teaching,	18 00
		Charles Cutter, board,	20 00
	26,	C. B. Caldron, use of house and wood,	12 00
1890.			
Jan.	2,	G. O. Brown, wood,	10 00
	10,	Hattie Hanson, teaching,	21 95
		Lillian Andrews, teaching,	35 00
	16,	N. W. Merrill, wood,	6 00
	53,	C. L. Page, teaching and board,	42 25
	24,	Moulton & Watson, supplies,	35
Feb.	5,	A. G. Simpson, board,	12 00
	10,	Chas. Cutter, board,	14 00
		J. C. Blair, 2 cords wood,	7 00
	24,	E. E. Coffin, board, cleaning house,	25 00
		E. F. Emersen, wood,	6 93
		C. W. Cook, supplies,	1 49
		John M. Ames, wood and repairing,	5 80
		Chas. Johnson, carrying teacher,	50
		H. K. Smith, kindlings,	60
	28,	C. W. Johnson, Jr., cash paid out,	2 00
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			\$1419 67
Cash on hand,			154 05
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			\$1573 73

C. W. JOHNSON, *Treasurer.*

REPAIRS.

1889.

Mar. 1,	By Balance from last year,	103 68
	“ on hand,	50 09
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		\$153 77

CASH PAID OUT.

1889.

Mar. 15,	Paid T. S. Pulsifer, for lumber,	19 12
June 18,	Charles Gould, for stove and pipe,	18 38
	Daniel Percival, for labor,	4 83
Nov. 11,	George Blaisdell, “	1 00
Dec. 15,	J. R. Foss, for box stove,	3 50
1890.		
Feb. 24,	Charles Gould, for stove pipe,	60
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		\$47 43
28,	Cash to balance,	106 34
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		\$153 77

C. W. JOHNSON, JR., *Treasurer.*

Having examined the foregoing accounts, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

S. N. STICKNEY, }
 BENJ. SANBORN. } *Auditors.*

Campton, Mar. 1, 1890.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

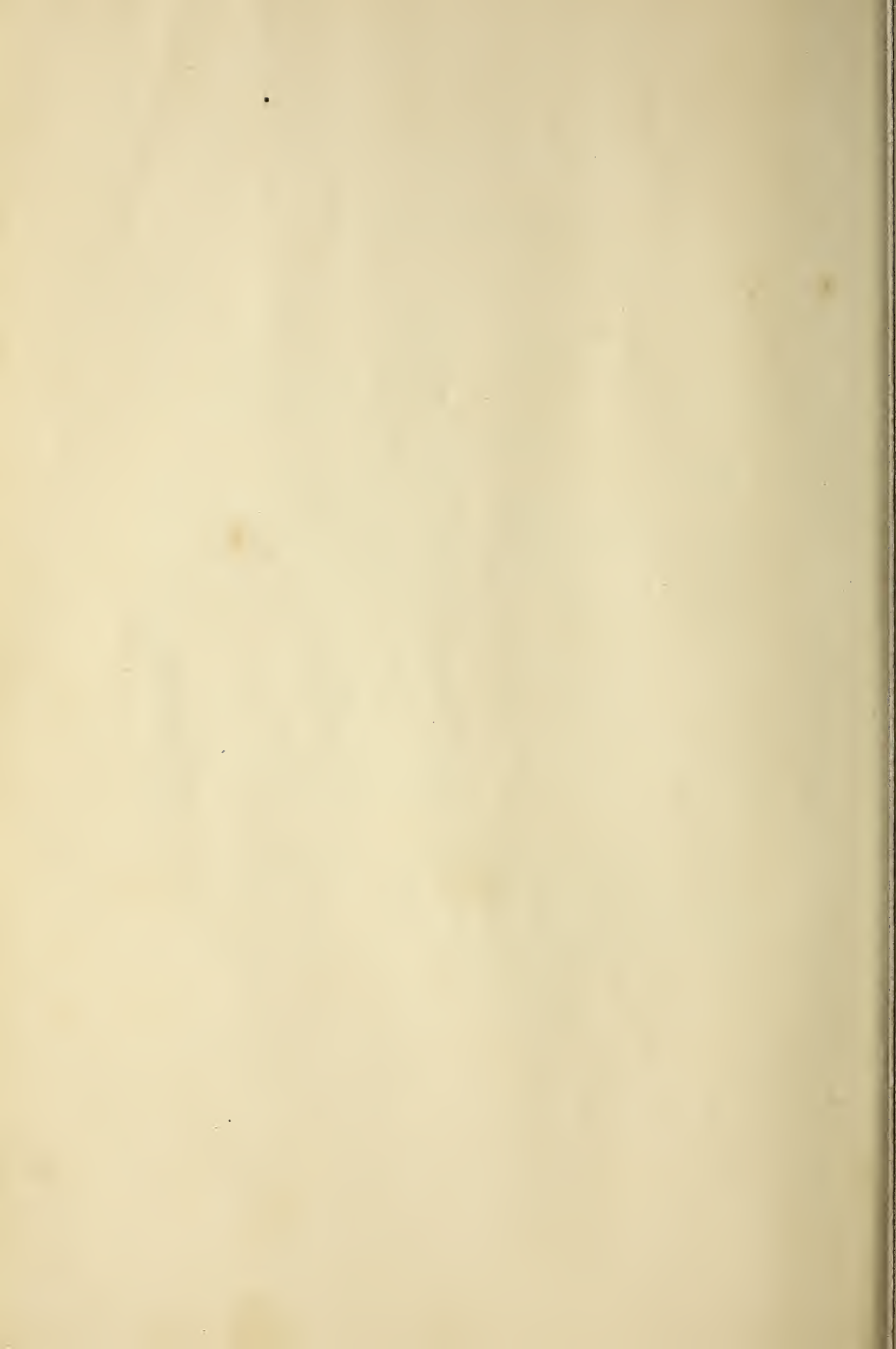
School.	Term.	Name of Teacher.	No of Pupils.	Average Attend.	No. Weeks.	Reading.	Spelling.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Composition.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Wages per Month, (including board.)
2	Spring	Cora L. Page.	27	24	10	27	27	21	20	13	5	5					\$24.00
2	Summer	" "	32	23	10	32	32	21	25	16	8	5					24.00
2	Winter	" "	32	26	7	32	32	26	28	17	14	10					24.00
3	1	Fannie M. Spencer.	26	22	8	25	20	10	22	15	8	1					28.00
3	2	S. Ardelle Burleigh.	26	24	10	26	26	18	22	15	6	6	1	3	4	2	28.00
3	3	Lillian F. Andrews.	31	27	7	31	21	18	30	15	3	2	4	3	3	1	28.00
4	1	Hattie E. Morse.	18	17	5	18	18	6	6	6	3	4					16.00
4	2	Fannie M. Spencer.	18	15	7	18	18	5	16	7	2	1					16.00
4	3	" "	18	15	7	18	18	5	16	6	2	2		2		1	16.00
5	1	Mrs. A. E. Horner.	8	6	8	8	8	4	7	6	4			2	3	1	24.00
3	2	G. E. Calley.	4	3	12	4	4	3	4	3		1		3			20.00
6	1	I. G. Caldon.	9	7	10	9	9	9	9	5	1						20.00
6	2	M. E. Avery.	8	6	10	9	8	7	8	3					1		20.00
7	1	Ada Bump.	7	4	12	7	7	5	5	3							16.00
8	1	Eudora Moulton.	16	14	8	16	16	16	15	7		1					21.00
8	2	Mrs. I. G. Avery.	20	17	12	20	20	19	19	11		2	1				20.00
9	1	N. L. Cone.	14	11	10	14	14	12	12	12	7	2	5	1		1	20.00
9	2	A. A. Russell.	14	11	10	14	14	12	14	13	9	2	5	1	1		20.00
10	1	G E Calley.	10	7	10	10	10	9	8	4	1						21.00
10	2	M. L. Mitchell.	8	7	10	8	8	4	8	7	1	1		2			20.00
11	1	E. M. Ames.	16	14	8	14	14	12	10	4	1		1				16.00
11	2	" "	19	16	12	16	16	12	10	3	1		1	1			16.00
12	1	S. A. Burleigh.	21	16	8	21	21	18	17	13	3	3	1				22.00
12	2	H. A. Hanson.	15	13	9	15	15	11	12	6	2	2					20.00
12	3	" "	15	12	6	15	15	12	14	7		2					22.00
13	1	A F. Mitchell.	4	3	12	4	4	4	4								18.00

No. of children reported by selectmen:—Males, 72; Females, 82.

No. of scholars not less than five years of age who have attended school not less than two weeks, 202.

No. of visits by school board, 50.

No. of visits by citizens, 116.



Births Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Birth 1889.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	Number of Children. 1st, 2d, &c.						
Feb. 10	Rachel A	M	Living	4th	Clarence L Ferrin	Louise S Avery	W	Laborer	Alton	Ellsworth
Mar. 7		F		3d	Israel W Downing	Alice J Southmayd	Campton	Laborer	Ellsworth	Boston Mass
Mar. 25		M		1st	Charles B Berry	Mary L Livingstone		Laborer	Holderness	Campton
Mar. 30	Nellie E	F		1st	J Frank Smith	Alice M Philbrick	Epping	Carpenter	Barrington	Campton
Apr. 7		M		4th	M Smith Batchelder	Emma O Nason	Campton	Farmer	Campton	Methuen Mass
Apr. 9		F		2d	William H Berry	Mary H Sanborn		Farmer	Campton	Campton
Apr. 12		M		2d	James S Wallace	Maria L Hart		Farmer	Sandwich	Woodstock
Jun 7		F		1st	Allen J Sickett	Rosa B Hall		Laborer saw mill	Bangor Me	Campton
Jun 13	Elva May	M		1st	Mark F Avery	Laura E Palmer		Farmer	Campton	Belmont
July 8		F		4th	John Downing	Saloma Bassett		Farmer	Ellsworth	Ellsworth
July 13		F		2d	Peter Bill	Louisa M Fellows		Laborer	St. Johnsbury Vt	Westfield Vt
Aug 15		M		7th	Fred M Moulton	Amanda Benton		Farmer	Concord Me	Willmot
Sep. 24	Henry W	M		5th	Charles H Coburn	Julia E Robinson	C'mpt'n V	Hotel keeper	Sanborn	Thorton
Nov. 16				1st	Edward H Sanborn	Emma A Sanborn	W C'mpt'n	Farmer	Holderness	Campton
				7th	Daniel C Brown					

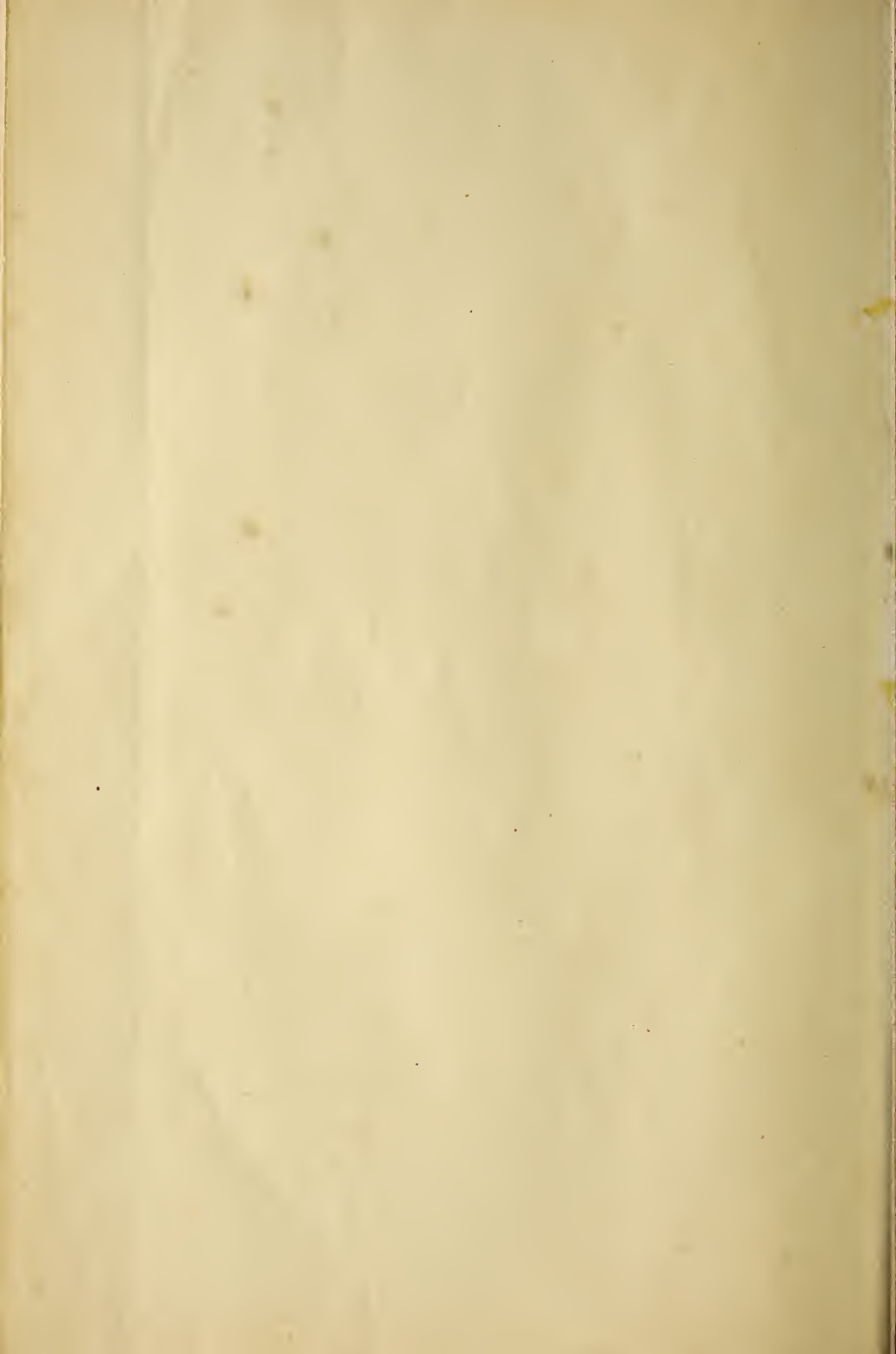
Marriages Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date—1889.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in yrs.	Col. of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	No. times Married.	Name, Residence, and Official Station of person by whom married.
Feb. 12	W Campton	George S Ewins	Lynn Mass	26	W	Shoe m'r	Salem	Clinton Ewins	Salem	Farmer	1st	Rev T Keniston New Hampton
		Abbie L Keniston	W Campton	20		Housewife	W Campton	Louise H Scott	Salem	Housewife	1st	
Apr. 26	Campton V	Fred O James	Thornton	20		Station agent	Thornton	Laura J Hart	W Campton	Farmer	1st	Rev A Chipman Campton V
		Gertie A P Chase	Campton	22			Plymouth	B Dora Durgin	Hooksett	Real est agt	1st	
May 15	Plymouth	B J Philbrick	Campton V	22		Carpenter	Campton	Frank Chase	Thornton	Housewife	1st	
		C W Russell	Plymouth	21		Housewife	Campton	Abbie Avery	Meredith	Blacksmith	1st	Rev R Sanderson Plymouth
June 17	Campton	Joseph Sawyer	Campton	50		Jobber	Quebec	Sarah J Wallace	Ellsworth	Housewife	1st	
		Mary Gowitt		23		Housewife	Canada	John W Russell	Woodstock	Glove man	1st	C W Cook, J P Campton
26	Campton V	Charles S West	Jacks'nville Fla	27		Hotel keeper	Chicster	Augustus Sawyer	Ellsworth	Housewife	2d	
		Edna M Cheney	Campton V	20		Hotel emp	Westville N Y	Roselle	Quebec		1st	
29	Plymouth	Lyman C White	Campton	56		Lumbermen	Russell N Y	Jacob W West	Chicster	Housewife	1st	Rev A Chipman Campton V
		Nellie V Oakes	Waterville	20		Housewife	Groton	Christina Seavy	Chicster	Farmer	2d	Rev C W Nelson Plymouth
July 30	Plymouth	Henry F Wood	Campton	25		Laborer	Michigan	Fidella Durin	Westville N Y	Housewife	1st	
		Mary A Lodge		18		Housewife	Campton	Warren White	Vergennes Vt	Farmer	1st	
Aug. 12	W Campton	John C Smith	W Campton	21		Farmer	Thornton	P Abenmethy	Madrid N Y	Housewife	1st	Rev T Stratton Plymouth
		Delma C Wilson	Campton	24		Housewife	Ind'napolis Ind	Willard C Oakes	Phillips Mass	Housewife	1st	
Nov. 12	Ashland	John M Pulsifer	Campton	23		Farmer	Campton	Violet F Fox	Roxbury Mass	Housewife	1st	
		Laura S Worthen	Holderness	23		Teacher	Holderness	John C Wood	Dublin Ireland	Housewife	2d	Rev N Jones W Campton
13	Campton	Reuben D Page	Campton	33		Farmer	Campton	Jane Wood	England	Housewife	1st	Rev E C Clarke Ashland
		Flora E Ames		18		Housewife	Harrisburg Ia	Nathan P Colton	Centre Harbor	Housewife	1st	Rev H W Conry Campton
								Sarah J Johnson	Boston Mass	Housewife	1st	
								Daniel F Smith	Campton	Clergyman	1st	
								Jennie R Stout	Bath N Y	Housewife	1st	
								John Wilson	Ohio	Soldier	1st	
								Cordelia Hasley	Campton	Teacher	1st	
								Thomas S Pulsifer	Campton	Farmer	1st	
								Hannah Cook	Holderness	Housewife	1st	
								S M Worthen	New Hampton	Housewife	2d	
								Julia Smith	Campton	Housewife	1st	
								Ozias M Page	Holderness	Housewife	1st	
								Susan Draper	Campton	Housewife	1st	
								David W Ames	Holderness	Housewife	1st	
								Henrietta E Smith	Campton	Housewife	1st	

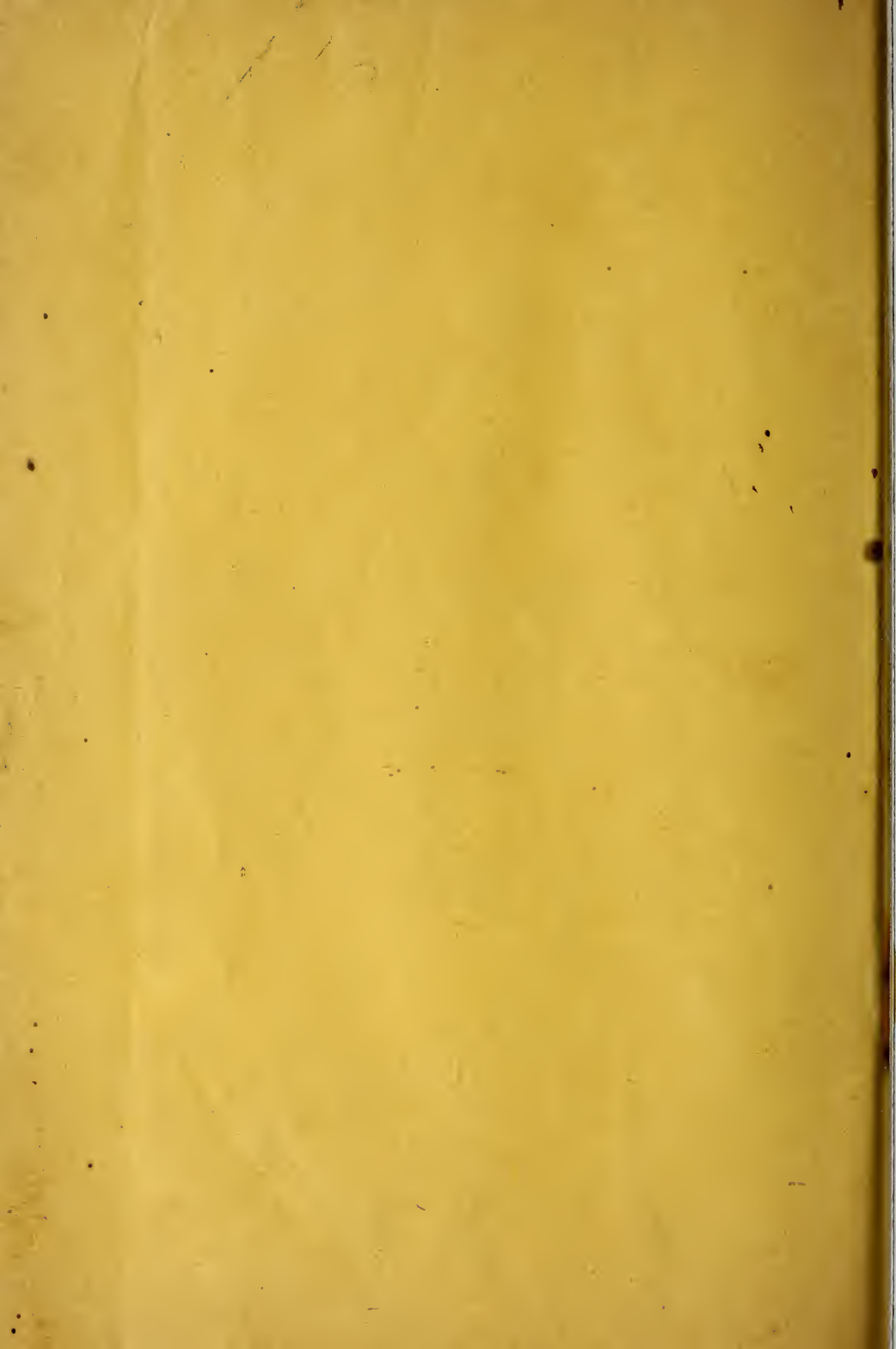
Deaths Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

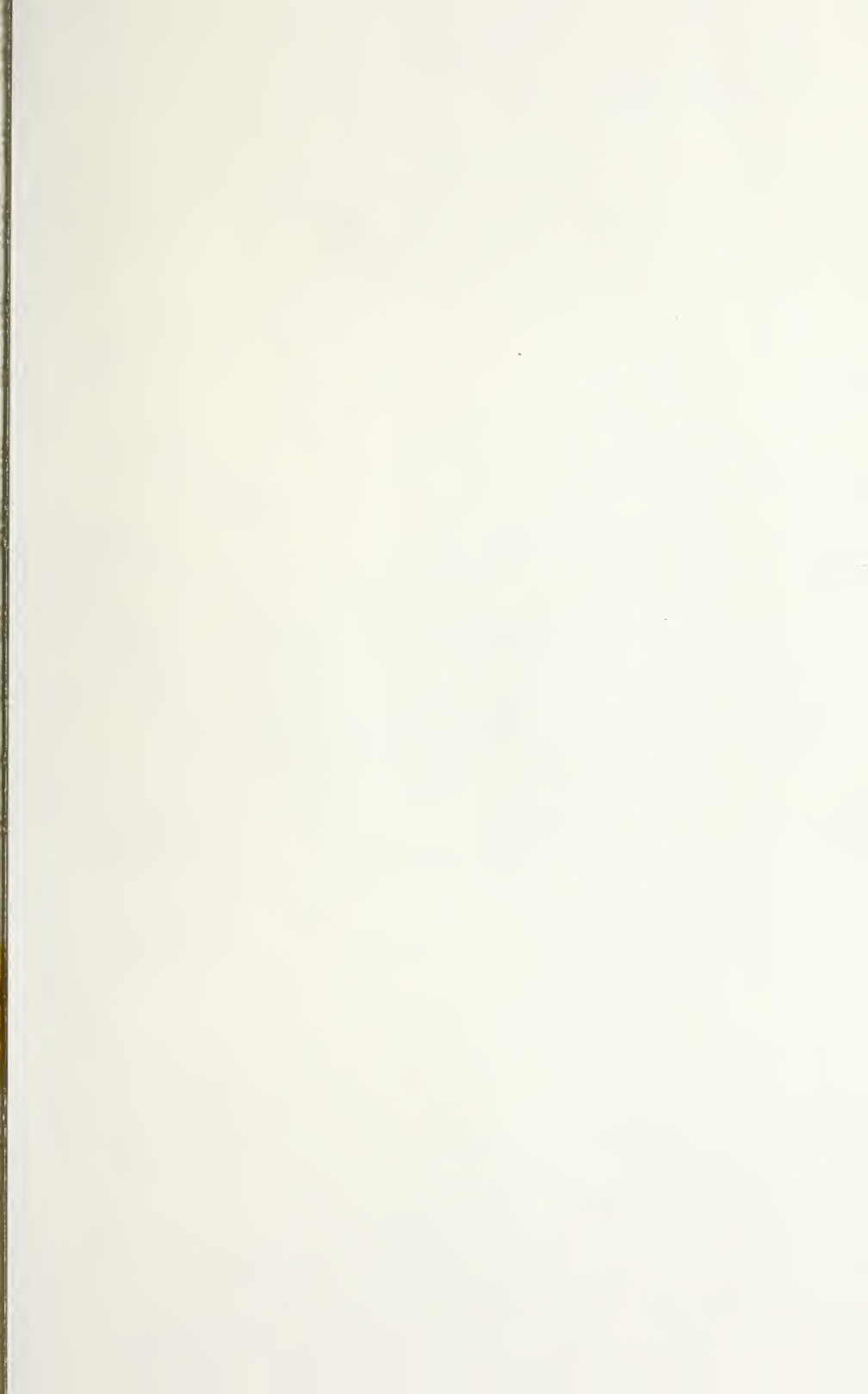
Date--1889.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Conditions.		Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Feb 14	Jonathan Spokesfield	83	10	1	Thornton Campton	M	W	Farmer	Portsmouth Alton	Nottingham Ellsworth	John Spokesfield Clarence L Ferrin	Betsy N Crosby Louise S Avery
Feb 16	Lester Ferrin	14		6		F		Housemaid				
Mar 21	Mabel Southmayd	18			Campton	F	S	Fireman	Campton Ellsworth	Boston	John Stevens	A J Southmayd
Mar 25	Rachael A Downing	84	14			F		Housewife		Campton	Israel W Downing	Naomi Burbank
Mar 30	Norman Percival	75			Campton	M	S	Farmer	Sandwich Campton	Sandwich Campton	Putnam Percival	Hannah Choate
May 4	Jesse S Wallace	78	3	4	Sandwich Campton	M	F	Housewife	Sandwich Campton	Scotland	John Pulsifer	Folly Palmer
May 11	Phoebe Stickney	53			Andover, Me	F		Housewife	England Newbury, Mass	Newbury, Mass	Richard Willey	Ellen Walker
May 30	Nellie W Howe	6			Limerick, Me				Woodstock	Woodstock	Henry Dolc	Sarah Butler
July 11	Almira D Hodgdon	42	10	28	Woodstock						L D Glover	Lavinia Barton
July 26	Laura J Whiteley	29	16	25							I McCansland	Louise Jackman
Aug 6	Ada S Johnson	66	2	1	Gilmanton	M		Farmer	Barnstead	Meredith	James Gorman	D Wadleigh
Aug 11	Sarah J Cook	92			Backfield, Me	F		Housewife				Pressey
Aug 31	Samuel Brock	71		14	Bristol	M						Julia Robinson
Sept 9	Salome Hanscome	91			W Campton	F			Sanbornton	Campton	Samuel Terrill	
Sept 24	Elizabeth C Poole	73	6	12	"	F					Ed H Sanborn	
Oct 19	Noah Keniston	84	2	20	Cabot, Vt	M		Carpenter	Sanbornton	Lee	John Cassady	Mary Triekey
Oct 23	Daniel Wyatt	91	1	7	Campton	M		Farmer	Nottingham Campton	Conn	Joshua Keniston	Abigail Annibal
Nov 5	Almira Palmer	86	5		Tilton	F	S			Sanbornton	Daniel Wyatt	Anna Sanborn
Nov 7	Margaret C Marlin	73	8	18	Barnet, Vt	F		Housewife	Newbury, Mass	Gloucester, Mass	Benj. Palmer	Betsy Lovejoy
Nov 11	Benjamin Coleman	89	7	14	Sanbornton	M	W	Carpenter			David Morrison	Abigail Pulsife
Nov 15	Charles W Richardson	74	1		Gardner, Me			Laborer			Thomas Coleman	
Nov 27	Lynman Lucas	77	7	4	Washington, Vt	F		Farmer	Wolfboro'	Corinth, Vt	Thomas Lucas	M Sleeper
Nov 27	Sadie A Garland	25	8		Lyman	F		Housekeeper	Bath	Landaff	James Clough	James Eaton
Dec 20	Isaac L Adams	69	11		Campton	M		Farmer	Campton	Meredith	Jacob Adams	Mary Foss

GARDNER LITTLE, Town Clerk.











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